

Columbia University's backetball team won a lively game last night from the representatives of the Fifty-seventh street branch of the Y. M. C. A. at the latter's gym. The final score was 15 to 10. The collegians put up an interesting game, but found their opponents were able to cope with

SEN. CLARK'S SON TO BACK MONROE.

Willing to Bet \$1,000 that Miner Can Outpoint Jeffries in Six-Round Bout.

BUTTE, Mon., Dec. 23.-It is not often Jeffries and Monroe were not correct

that a fighter can boast of a millionaire in every detail. It might be said now as a backer, but that is what Jack that Monroe not only had the best of

LITTLE MEN MEET IN RING TO-NIGHT

Harry Forbes Stakes Bantam- Weight Championship in Bout with Neil in Oakland.

A battle for the bantam-weight chamside bets. De Forest can be made of the world will be devided at Madison avenue, New York. pionship of the world will be decided at Oakland, Cal., to-night. The lads who will fight for the title are Harry Forbes, DEVINE FOUGHT WITH of Chicago, the present champion, and Frankie Nell, of California, They will meet in a fifteen-round bout before the Reliance A. C. for 60 per cent. of the gross receipts. If Nell is as good a boy as reports say he is Forbes is likely to lose his hold on the title. The latter has had only four days' training and as he was five pounds over the weight he is to weigh in at when be began work but his manager took him with "Kid" he may have been weakened. Neil, ac-Carter to Chicago, and Feltz was subcording to reports, has been training for over four weeks and is in perfect shape for the bout. He is said to be a first round, and kept on gamely until puncher and a good blocker.

Sieger and Gans Again.

Joe Gans and Charley Sieger, of Hoboken, the gamest light-weights who ever entered a ring, age to meet again | helplessness, did not attempt to force in the roped arena. They have been the fighting very much. matched to meet in a twelve-round bout before the Cambridge (Mass.) A. C. little damage, but in the fourth Devine on Dec. 31. The last time they met went after the Brooklyn boy and floored Gans defeated Sieger in fourteen rounds. him. It was Devine's round. Before In that battle Sieger exhibited gameness the fifth round the referee cautioned the seldom shown by a pugilist.

Fight May Go to Canada.

As The Evening World stated last week the "Corbett" and McGovern fight will likely be decided in Windsor, Can. At least, Billy Considine, matchmaker of the Metropolitan A. C. of Detroit, realizing that he cannot hold the fight in Detroit, is now making arrangements to hold a fight in a big armory in Windsor. No Forfeits for Fighters.

Considing has not posted his certified check for \$5,000 to guarantee the holding of the "Corbett"-McGovern battle, and so the fighters will hardly get the shed him, but the referee stepped in 52,600 to which each is entitled as a result of Considine's failure to hold the battle in Detroit. If "Corbett" and McGovern fail to get the money them. result of Considine's failure to hold the battle in Detroit. If "Corbett' and MoGovern fail to get the money they have no one but themselves to blame. When they agreed to fight before Considine's club they took the latter's word that he would post a certified check for \$3.000 the following day.

Hurst Is Laughing Now.

The report that Tommy West and Marvin Hart have been matched to box in Louisville is denied by the managers of the Savannah Athletic Club. In speaking of the match one of the club supporters eaid that West is willing to meet Hart, but that the latter does not want to meet West, giving as his reasons that West is not in his class, and could be easily defeated. In explaining his reason for not wanting to box West, Hart says that he has defeated West easily, and can do it again in two or three rounds, therefore a match between them would not prove a drawing card. This is also the opinion of the club officials, hence their refusal to entertain the match.

match.

Jimmy De Forest, manager and trainer of pugilists, would like to match Charley Monk against any 145-pound fighter in the business, or 'Kid' Flynn against any 118-pound boy for side bets. De Forest can be found at No. 619

DISLOCATED SHOULDER.

PHILADELPH Dec. 23.—The six-Tommy Feltz, of round bout betw Brooklyn, and Ji y Devine at the Washington Sporting Club last night was most unsatisfactory. "Mississippi"

remarkably clever youngster, a stiff just before the end of the sixth round. when he was unable to defend himself and the referee stopped the bout. Feltz was unaware of this and kept away from Devine. The latter, owing to his

For the first three rounds the men did fighters and ordered them to do better work, but there was little improvement in this round.

After receiving two hard lefts in the face in the sixth round Feltz cut loose and, landing fairly on Devine's jaw. dropped his man. The boys then fought count and was very weak when he got on his feet.

Feitz rushed his man and punched him at will, and would probably have fin-

JACKSON AND O'ROURKE FOUGHT TO A DRAW.

BOSTON, Dec. 23. - "Young Peter Tim Hurst, who represented the Southern A. Jackson," the colored welter-weight C., of Louisville, at the meeting when the bids were opened, had \$2,500 in his pocket to post an a ferfeit if he was successful in securing the contest. The fighters, however, refused Hurst's contest. The fighters, however, refused Hurst's like contest and Sam Harris had agreed to let Billy Considine's club have the contest, Hurst turned its the writer when the contest, Hurst turned its the writer when the contest, Hurst turned its the writer when the men were not fighting. O'Rourke showed an improvement in his fighting. He landed hard and often on Jackson with both hands. As both men were practically fresh at the contest was plant to be a single to the Cambridge A. C. last night and it was declared a draw. The bout was hard fought. Not a moment was there when the men were not fighting. O'Rourke showed an improvement in his fighting. He landed hard and often on Jackson with both hands. As both on a single to be a single to of Louisville, at the meeting when the bids fighter, of Boston, and Charley

(UNION BOAT CLUB EXPELS C. S. TITUS

HURLEY READY TO TOSS THE BALL TO THE BASKET.

Oarsman, Who Rowed at Henley Last Year, Will Now Sue Organization for \$10,000.

that a fighter can boast of a millionaire as a backer, but that is what Jack Monroe, the miner, who gave Jim Jeffries a beating on Saturday night can do to-day. No less a personage either than Charles W. Clark, the son of Senator Clark, the "Copper King," is the man who thinks Monroe a firest fighter. Young Clark saw Monroe box in Callfornia two years ago when he won the amateur heavy-weight championship and saw him in his "go" with Jeffries on Saturday night and now he says he will bet any part of \$1,000 that Monroe can not only stay six rounds with Jeffries, but that he will outpoint him is a bout of that length. There is \$1,000 up now with a challenge to Jeffries for a moment's call to meet the champion of the world in another bout.

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For the past two years there has been considerable friction in the Union Boat Club at a meeting to the Henley regatta last summers, has been expelled from the Union Boat Club at a meeting of the Board of Directors on what he asserts were tramped was bleeding from several cuts.

Regarding Monroe, it cannot be said that he heas a "swelled head." In fact, that the heas a "swelled head." In fact, the first dheat Monroe to the first dheat All that members of the club's Board of Directors openly expressed toward Titus.

Some time ago, when Titus won a pennant in Massachusetts, he refused to turn it over to his club, as it had not paid his expenses. This action aroused considerable feeling in the club and about three weeks ago the oarsman was summoned to appear before the Board of Directors to answer three charges, two of which were based on conduct alleged to reflect on the sportsmanship of an anasteur. The third charge embraced discourtesy to the officers of the club. At the time set for the trial Titus appeared with his lawyers, but the Board of Directors failed to show up. Then at another meeting they expelled him from the club.

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YON SHOLLY

CRACK PLAYERS.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 23.—Matty Matthews, the welter-weight fighter of New York, won his fight with "Rube" Ferns, of Kansas City, last night. Matthews secured the decision at the end of the ten-round bout which was decided in Allegheny, Pa.

The fight was one of the best ever decided in this vicinity. At the sound of the bell in the first round both men started in to slug. Matthews was too nimble on his feet for Ferns, and by jabbing his left repeatedly into the latter's face he succeeded in outpointing his man. Ferns depended on right and left swings, but Matthews by clever sidestepping got away from nearly all of these blows.

Matthews had the best of every round but the sixth, when Ferns succeeded in getting in a number of stiff punches on Matty's head and jaw. In the eighth, ninth and tenth rounds Matthews punished Ferns severely and would have finished him in another round. The decision was the only one that could have been rendered.

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